

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In the **PATENT APPLICATION** of:

Cracknell et al.

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**Group:** 3651

**Examiner:** Leslie August Nicholson, III

**Our File:** SHP-PT088

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**AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE  
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.312**

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Sir:

This Amendment is being submitted pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.312 to correct minor, formal matters. Please amend the application without prejudice or disclaimer as follows: